**Lois Lowry, *Number the Stars*  
Vocabulary in Context**

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| **Word** | **Page #** | **Understanding** |
| **Lanky (adjective)** | **1** | **Original Sentence: “**She was a stocky ten-year-old, unlike **lanky** Annemarie.” |
| **Denotation: Ungracefully thin and tall.** |
| **Connotation:** Annmarie has long legs; she may be awkward for her age, especially with her body; she may be a good runner! |
| **Contempt (noun)** | **3** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Defiantly (adverb)** | **4** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Hoodlums (noun, plural)** | **5** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Sabotage** | **8** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Hans Christian Andersen (proper noun)** | **11** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Trousseau (noun)** | **14** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Dawdled (past tense of dawdle, verb)** | **18** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Rationed (past tense of ration, verb)** | **18** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |
| **Haughtily (adverb)** | **19** | **Original Sentence:** |
| **Denotation:** |
| **Connotation:** |